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Benjamin Franklin Woodford,	*Mt. Morris*,	31 H. H.

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William Nathan Boynton,	*Bridgewater*,	11 K. H.
John Edmund Burke,	*Choconut, Pa.*,	31 K. H.
Henry Cooper,	*Utica*,	32 D. H.
William Jesse Doolittle,	*Utica*,	— —
Francis Edwin Lacey,	*Marshall, Texas*,	22 K. H.
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SUMMARY.

Resident Graduates,	10
Seniors,	49
Juniors,	42
Sophomores.	19
Freshmen,	19
Total,	139

REFERENCES.

D. H., - - - - - - Dexter Hall, or North College.
K. H., - - - - - Kirkland Hall, or Middle College.
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Hamilton College.

ADMISSION.

It is required that candidates for admission to the Freshman Class, should not be less than fourteen years of age, with a corresponding increase for an advanced standing; that they furnish evidence of a good moral character, and, if from another College, a regular dismission; and that they sustain a satisfactory examination on the Preparatory Studies, or for an advanced class, on the several studies to which the class they propose to enter has attended. None can be admitted into the Senior Class after the winter vacation.

PREPARATORY STUDIES.

1. English, Latin, and Greek Grammar, including Prosody and correct accentuation in reading.
2. Sallust, or Cæsar's Commentaries.
3. Virgil's Æneid.
4. Cicero's Select Orations.
5. Prose of the Greek Reader.
6. Geography, Arithmetic, and Algebra to Quadratic Equations.

The ENTRANCE EXAMINATION is held on the Monday preceding Commencement, and on the last day of the ensuing vacation.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

The whole course of instruction occupies four years, and the Students, in all the classes, are usually required to attend three exercises on each day.

The object of the course is to form the mind to habits of accurate discrimination, close reasoning, and vigorous application; and, at the same time, to furnish it with the great leading facts and principles in Literature, Science, and the Arts.

The following is a General View of the Studies of each Term.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

FIRST TERM.	Livy's History—*Folsom's.* Xenophon's Anabasis—*Owen's.* Algebra—*Loomis'.* Rhetoric. Elocution—*Mandeville's Elements of Reading and Oratory.*
SECOND TERM.	Livy continued. Heroditus' History—*Wheeler's.* Geometry—*Loomis'.*
THIRD TERM.	Horace—*Anthon's.* Xenophon's Memorabalia—*Robbins'.* Geometry completed. Review of the studies of the year.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

FIRST TERM.	Homer's Odyssey—*Owen's.* Mathematics: Logarithms, and Plane Trigonometry. Mensuration of Superfices and Solids—*Day's.* Horace completed.
SECOND TERM.	Demosthenes de Corona—*Champlin's.* Cicero de Amicitia et Senectute. Mathematics: Mensuration of Heights and Distances: Navigation and Surveying—*Day's.* Rhetoric: Style—*Blair's.*
THIRD TERM.	Cicero de Oratore—*Kingsley's.* Select Greek Tragedies—*Woolsey's.* Conic Sections—*Cambridge Course.* Spherical Trigonometry—*Cambridge Course.* Review of the studies of the year.

JUNIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM.

- Differential and Integral Calculus—*Cambridge Course.*
- Tacitus—Germania and Agricola—*Tyler's.*
- Select Greek Tragedies continued: Agamemnon of Æschylus—*Felton's.*
- German: Follen's Grammar and Reader.

SECOND TERM.

- Natural Philosophy: Mechanics—*Olmsted's.*
- Tacitus' History—*Tyler's.*
- French: Bugard's Translator.

THIRD TERM.

- Natural Philosophy: Magnetism, Electricity and Optics—*Olmsted's.*
- Political Economy—*Say's.*
- Logic—*Whateley's.*
- Rhetoric—*Whateley's.*
- Review of the studies of the year.

SENIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM.

- Constitutional law—*Duer's Outlines.*
- Intellectual Philosophy—*Upham's.*
- Chemistry—*Turner's.*
- Natural Theology—*Paley's.*

SECOND TERM.

- Intellectual Philosophy completed.
- Moral Philosophy—*Wayland's.*
- Municipal Law—*Blackstone's Commentaries, vol. 1st.*
- Astronomy—*Olmsted's.*

THIRD TERM.

- Chemistry as applied to Agriculture and the Arts.
- Astronomy completed.
- Municipal Law—*Blackstone's Commentaries.*
- Civil Engineering.
- Review of the studies of the year.

BOOKS OF REFERENCE.

The following books are recommended for reference: Anthon's or Bullions' Greek Grammar, Pickering's or Liddell and Scott's Greek Lexicon, Andrews and Stoddard's or Bullions' Latin Grammar, Leverett's Latin Lexicon, Ramshorn's Latin Synonyms, Smith's Dictionary of Greek and Roman Antiquities, Eschenberg's Manual of Classical Literature, Anthon's Classical Dictionary, Butler's Atlas Classica, Anthon's Greek Prosody, Kent's Commentaries, Story's Commentaries on Constitutional Law,

Vattel's Law of Nations, Blair's Rhetoric and Campbell's Rhetoric, Silliman's, Draper's and Fowne's Chemistry, Dana's Mineralogy, Wood's Botany, Wyatt's Conchology.

LECTURES.

Lectures are delivered on those subjects, in the College Course, which are not more advantageously taught by the use of approved text books, viz:

To the Senior Class, on Chemistry, in the - - - - - - First Term.
International Law, - - First and Second Term.
Mineralogy and Geology, Second and Third Term.
Anatomy and Physiology, Second and Third Term.
Astronomy, - - - - Second and Third Term.
Evidences of Christianity, - - - Second Term.
To the Junior Class, on Classical Literature, - - - - - - First Term.
Natural Philosophy, - - - - - - Second Term.
Rhetoric, - - - - - - - - - - Third Term.
History, throughout the year.
To the Sophomore Class, on Style, - - - - - - - - - Second Term.
Greek Tragedy, - - - - - - - - Third Term.

RHETORICAL EXERCISES.

Weekly exercises in Composition, Translation, and Forensic Disputation, take place in the several Classes. Besides these, on Wednesday and Saturday of each week, all the students are required to attend public exhibitions in the Chapel, of Declamation, Select Translations, from the Classics, and original Essays and Orations, under the direction of the Professor who has charge of the Rhetorical Department.

LIBRARIES AND CABINETS.

The College and Society Libraries, amounting nearly to 10,000 volumes, are at all times accessible to students. Geological and Mineralogical Cabinets are also connected with the College, embracing the following collections:

1. 3000 Specimens of Ores and Simple Minerals.
2. 2500 Specimens of Fossils and Rocks to illustrate the Geology of New York.
3. 1000 Specimens to illustrate the Geology of the United States.
4. 600 Specimens of Fossils mostly from the silurian formations of Europe.
5. 500 Specimens from the coal formations of the United States.
6. 250 Specimens from the new red sandstone formation.
7. 600 Specimens of Crystallised Minerals from N. Y. localities.
8. 600 Specimens of Land, Fresh-water and Marine Shells.

9. In addition to the above, extensive collections in the various departments of Natural History belong to the Literary Societies connected with the College.

PRIZES.

Prizes in the form of valuable books are annually awarded to the two students in each class, who exhibit the highest degree of excellence in public declamation. Similar prizes will also hereafter be awarded for excellence in English composition.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION.

Morning and evening Prayers, with reading of the Scriptures, are attended in the College Chapel. Public services are attended in the Chapel, on the Sabbath, when all the Students are required to be present, except such as have permission to attend at other places of worship.

EXAMINATIONS.

1. Of all the Classes at the close of the First Term.
2. Of all the Classes at the close of the Second Term.
3. Of the Senior Class four weeks previous to Commencement.
4. Of the three other Classes the week previous to Commencement.

PUBLIC PERFORMANCES.

1. Junior Exhibition, one week after the beginning of the third Term.
2. Prize Declamation, on the Monday evening preceding Commencement.
3. Commencement, on the fourth Wednesday in July.

TERMS.

1. From the third Wednesday in September, thirteen weeks.
2. From the first Wednesday in January, thirteen weeks.
3. From the fourth Wednesday in April, to Commencement.

EXPENSES.

Board, from $1 to $2 per week,	$39 00 to	78 00
Room Rent, $3 per term,	9 00 "	9 00
For sweeping and other contingencies,	4 00 "	4 50
Fuel and Lights,	5 00 "	10 00
Tuition,	30 00 "	30 00
Amount,	$87 00 "	131 50

In addition to the above, any damages voluntarily committed in the community of Students, are charged to the individuals committing them, when known; to the whole body, when not known, under the name of Extra Contingencies.

The above estimate of expenses is, of course, considerably diminished in the case of those students who take advantage of the resolution of the Board of Trustees, which provides for a remission of their bills for tuition.

A Student admitted to an advanced standing, unless from another College, is charged, to the Sophomore Class, $7; to the Junior, $10; to the Senior, $12.

Students whose circumstances make it necessary for them to take schools during the winter season, are permitted to be absent from their classes for that purpose.

PAYMENT OF BILLS.

It is provided by a resolution of the Board of Trustees:

1. That no Student shall be permitted to enter on a second, or any succeeding Term, until he shall have paid, or secured to the satisfaction of the Treasurer, the fees of the preceding Term.

2. That no Student can have an honorable dismission from this College, or certificate of his previous attendance in it, until all his bills are paid, or satisfactorily secured.

3. That any student, whose circumstances render it necessary, and who shall present satisfactory testimonials of that fact, provided he proves himself a worthy member of the College, and his under-graduate course is completed in this Institution, can have his bills for tuition remitted.

ABSENCE FROM COLLEGE.

The portion of the year allotted to vacations is so great as to render it quite unnecessary for the Students to visit their friends during the Term, except for urgent and unforseen reasons. The occasional loss of a day, cannot fail to have an unfavorable bearing on the intellectual habits and standing of the Student. It is hoped that parents and guardians will concur with the Faculty, in their opinion of the inexpediency of granting leave of absence in ordinary cases.

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